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The Honorable
The Secretary of Health, Education
and Welfare
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Secretary:

At the meeting held in your Office on 24 January 1956 we were requested to inform you of this Agency's plans to observe Brotherhood Week.

In keeping with and in furtherance of the spirit of Brotherhood Week, I have issued a message to all employees announcing the observance of Brotherhood Week from 19 February to 26 February 1956. This communication includes President Eisenhower's message to observe and promote Brotherhood Week, and encourages our employees to broaden their knowledge of and increase their participation in Brotherhood activities through study, attendance at religious services, community activities, and in countless other ways. In addition, we have disseminated to employees the "Brotherhood for Peace and Freedom" pamphlet and displayed the Brotherhood poster on our bulletin boards.

The feasibility of a formal service for our employees has been explored thoroughly. Unfortunately, the dispersion of our buildings and other operational considerations preclude a general assembly.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

Letter to the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare regarding
Brotherhood Week

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MEMORANDUM FOR: THE DIRECTOR

Attached are two documents which require your signature:

1. An all-employee Agency Notice calling attention to Brotherhood Week, and
2. A letter to the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, advising him that we have issued such a notice as this Agency's contribution to the observance of Brotherhood Week.

Both the Agency Notice and your letter to the Secretary conform to the Government-wide

MEMORANDUM FOR:

agreement reached at a January meeting with the Secretary.

It is recommended that you sign both the letter and the Notice.

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Assistant Deputy Director
(Support)

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